

VZCZCXYZ0016
PP RUEHWEB

DE RUEHVB #0144 0771244
ZNR UUUUU ZZH
P 181244Z MAR 09
FM AMEMBASSY ZAGREB
TO RUEHC/SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 9079
INFO RUCNDT/USMISSION USUN NEW YORK PRIORITY 0097

UNCLAS ZAGREB 000144

SIPDIS

PASS TO AF/RSA COL. MIKE SKARDON AND AF/E MATTHEW WALSH

E.O. 12958: N/A
TAGS: [PGOV](#) [PREL](#) [SO](#) [KPKO](#) [HR](#)
SUBJECT: CROATIA TO COORDINATE WITH EUROPEANS FOR AMISOM
DURING UNSC DEBATE

REF: SECSTATE 24665

Poloff delivered reftel message on March 17 to Vesna Vukovic, head of the MFA's UN office and followed up on March 18 with Tihomir Lulic her deputy. Tihomir expressed his appreciation for receiving our position and said that their office was still conferring with their colleagues in New York regarding this issue and would likely coordinate with other european countries on any action. He indicated that Croatia understood the US position and agreed that stabilizing Somalia was very important. Any further substantive response will be reported by septel.
BRADTKE